

Get a My HealthVet Premium Account

If you are a Veteran and use the VA Health Care System, you can upgrade to a My HealthVet Premium Account. This type of account lets you use all features of My HealthVet.

To upgrade to a Premium account, follow these two steps:

- Step 1** Register for My HealthVet (www.myhealth.va.gov)
- Step 2** Get authenticated (in person or online)

Learn More about VA OpenNotes

As a patient, you have the right to read notes that your doctor or health care team writes at the time of an appointment or hospital stay. **VA OpenNotes** is an initiative that invites patients to review these clinical notes. Learn more about the OpenNotes initiative:

www.myopennotes.org

Learn More about VA Blue Button

As VA continues to improve **VA Blue Button** on My HealthVet, you can learn more about its features and partnerships with other organizations.

www.va.gov/bluebutton

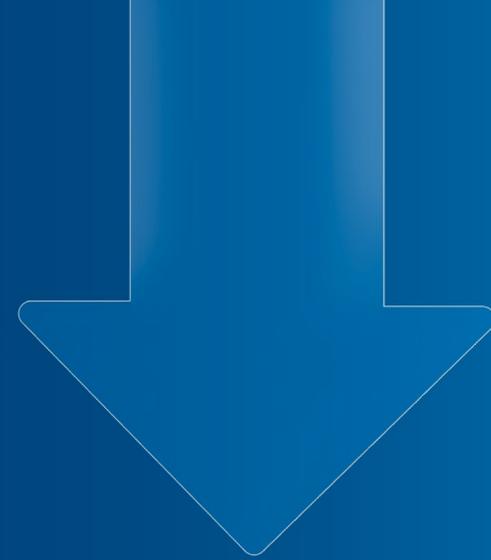


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My HealthVet Help Desk Toll Free Telephone Number: 1-877-327-0022
(Monday through Friday, 6:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. CST)

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More of Your VA Health Record Information Available to You



**Blue Button
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Learn About VA Blue Button Features

The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) continues to improve **VA Blue Button** on My HealthVet, with greater access to your personal information from your VA health record. With more of your health information securely at your fingertips, you are better able to participate in your care.





LEARN MORE ABOUT VA BLUE BUTTON

VA Blue Button

VA Blue Button, available on My Health^eVet (www.myhealth.va.gov), offers an easy way to view, print or download your information so that your health record is available when you want and need it. Each time you use **VA Blue Button**, you can select the information that you require. Need a list of your medications? Want to read the note from your last doctor's visit? Whatever you choose, **VA Blue Button** will give you a more complete picture of your health, and will help you see progress in reaching your health goals.

You can use **VA Blue Button** on My Health^eVet to access all of *your* available personal health information. With a My Health^eVet Premium account, you can:

- **See** *your* health record information, including VA OpenNotes and test results
- **Share** and download *your* information with those you trust
- **Learn** about *your* health issues and *your* health care
- Be better prepared for visits and communication with *your* VA health care team

VA Continuity of Care Document (VA CCD)

The **VA CCD** is a summary of your key health information that can be shared between health care providers to support coordination of your care. This information can be viewed by health computer systems and providers outside VA (via an .XML file), or be uploaded into other applications. A PDF file is also available.



VA Blue Button is designed to give you greater control of your health care. In addition to your self-reported information, you can now access more information from your VA Electronic Health Record through **VA Blue Button** on My Health^eVet:

- **VA Allergies*** – Recorded allergies and adverse reactions; Available immediately
- **VA Admissions and Discharges*** – Admissions and discharges including comprehensive discharge summaries; Available 3 days after Discharge Summary is completed
- **VA Appointments*** – Two years past and all future VA appointment details; Available immediately
- **VA Demographics*** – Demographic information from VA Treating Facilities in the last 3 years; Available immediately
- **VA Electrocardiogram (EKG) Reports*** – A list of EKG studies performed at VA Treating Facilities; Available immediately
- **VA Immunizations*** – History of recorded immunizations along with any reactions; Available immediately
- **VA Laboratory Results*** – Results of Chemistry, Hematology, and Microbiology lab tests; Available 3 days after results are verified
- **VA Notes*** – All completed Progress Notes from January 1, 2013 forward; Available 3 days after Note is completed
- **VA Pathology Reports*** – Surgical Pathology, Cytology, and Electron Microscopy study results; Available 14 days after report is completed
- **VA Problem List*** – List of active health issues and conditions; Available 3 days after entry
- **VA Radiology Reports*** – Results of Radiology and other imaging studies; Available 3 days after report is verified
- **VA Vitals and Readings*** – Blood pressure, pulse, body temperature, weight, etc.; Available immediately
- **VA Wellness Reminders*** – Patient friendly clinical reminders for preventive services; Available immediately
- **Military Service Information*** – Historical record of military service including position and rank codes; Available immediately
- **VA Medication History** – History of VA medication refills; Available immediately

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